Enter Claudio, Prince, and three or foure with tapers.

Claudio Is this the monument of Leonato?

Lord It is my Lord. *Epitaph.*

Done to death by slauderous tongues,
Was the Hero that heere lies:
Death in guerdon of her wronges,
Giues her fame which neuer dies:
So the life that dyed with shame,
Liues in death with glorious fame.
Hang thou there vpon the toomb,
Praising hir when I am dead.

Claudio Now musick sound & sing your solemne hymne.

Song Pardon goddesse of the night,
Those that slew thy virgin knight,
For the which with songs of woe,
Round about her tombe they goe:
Midnight assist our mone, help vs to sigh & grone.
Heauily heauily.
Graues yawne and yeeld your dead,
Till death be vttered,
Heauily heauily. (right.

Lo. Now vnto thy bones good night, yeerely will I do this

Prince Good morrow maisters, put your torches out,
The wolues haue preied, and looke, the gentle day
Before the wheeles of Phœbus, round about
Dapples the drowsie East with spots of grey:
Thanks to you al, and leaue vs, fare you well.

Claudio Good morrow masters, each his seuerall way.

Prince Come let vs hence, and put on other weedes,
And then to Leonatoes we will goe.

Claudio And Hymen now with luckier issue speeds,
Then this for whom we rendred vp this woe. *exeunt.*

Enter Leonato, Benedick, Margaret Vrsula, old man, Frier, Hero.

Frier Did I not tell you shee was innocent?

Leo. So are the Prince and Claudio who accusd her,
Vpon the errour that you heard debated:
But Margaret was in some fault for this,
Although against her will as it appeares,

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In the true course of all the
Old Wel, I am glad tha
Bened. And so am I, be
To call young Claudio to
Leo. Well daughter, an
Withdraw into a chamber
And when I send for you
The Prince and Claudio p
To visite me, you know yo
You must be father to you
And giue her to young Cl
Old Which I will doe w
Bened. Frier, I must int
Frier To doe what Sig
Bened. To bind me, or
Signior Leonato, truth it is
Your niece regards me wit
Leo. That eye my daug
Bened. And I do with
Leo. The sight whereo
From Claudio and the Pri
Bened. Your answere s
But for my wil, my will is,
May stand with ours, this
In the state of honorable m
In which (good Frier) I sh
Leo. My heart is with y
Frier And my helpe.
Heere comes the Prince an
Enter Prince, and C
Prince Good morrow t
Leo. Good morrow P
We heere attend you, are y
To day to marry with my
Claud. Ile hold my min
Leo Call her foorth bro
P. Good morrow Bene